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THE PART WHEN PARTY PROPERTY A RECORD

A Jury Hears the Evidence and Proceeds to Wrestle.

WORK OF A GREASY SHARPER.

Another Complaint Is Made Concerning Freight Rates-General Notes of News From the Capital.

LINCOLN BUREAU OF THE OMAHA BEE, 1029 P STREET.

LINCOLN, Feb. 25, This morning the district court resumed and a trial was had before Hon. A. W. Field and a jury-that of Dr. Matthews vs. Colonel Cropsey. The cause was a relic of ancient times in Nebraska. There was a period when early settlers found themselves ousted from the farms which they had obtained on the line of the St. Joe & Denver railroad of which they had secured patents from the government, because, at the time of these patents or entries, the railroad company had filed their definite location, at Washington, and thus obtained the first lien on the land. In 1873 Colonel Cropsey had a section of land in Cropsey county. This he sold-a half section each to two parties, one being Dr. Matthews, of Nemaha county. The two ery and lumber for the section Dr. Matthews getting half the section for his share. In 1882 the decree of the United States court took a quarter section from Lr. Matthews and gave it to Knevals, who represented the St. Joe interests. Dr. Matthews now brought suit to recover for the failure of the warranty, and cut his damages at \$500 and interests. The defendant's case was that the action was barred by the statutes, that nothing could justly be recovered from him and that the consideration he received was not really not more than \$100 for the quarter section. The case was given to the jury at neon and at this hour the twelve men are still wrestling with the problem. A Cool Sharper.

Armed with a book of First National bank checks, a sharper started out to do the city last Saturday, and came well nigh being successful. He went from store to store, making light purchases, and with the air of a business man wrote a check in payment, signing the firm name of George & Gwartney, pro-prietors of the Capital Machine works. These checks always over-paid his purchase, and he would pocket the cash on the pler that he was short of change, but this excited no suspicion for he carried a check protector were a suit of greasy clothes, and the name of George & Swartney to a check was be lieved to be good for any sum for which it was signed. In this way the cool swindler secured nearly \$400 in cash, and then do camped. The rogue's work was not dis-covered until this morning. Consternation followed when the extent of his work became known. It is regarded as the coolest piece of knavery ever transacted in the city None of his victims are able to give an intel ligent description of the rogue's looks. Most of them remember that he wore a greasy oking suit of clothes, but this is all. sharper did his work well and slid out for parts unknown. There is little doubt of this so meager is the description given of him that he could remain in the city with little fear of arrest. The police force is in disgust because it practically has no clue to work upon. No one business man was victimized out of more than \$15, and the checks he real ized upon aggregate almost \$400.

Another Covington Complaint. C. D. Smiley makes complaint and asks the state board of transportation to order and direct the Chicago, Minneapolis & St. Paul railroad company to change the name of the station at South Sioux City, now called Covington, to South Sioux City, and for cause alleges that there is or was a station called Covington at the village of Covington, about two and a half miles from South Sioux City, and that the adoption of the name of Covington station for South Sioux City creates confusion, miscarriage of freight and mistakes on the part of passen Covington is several years old and has acquired an unsavory reputation, and Mr. Smiley objects to the name of Covington for the station at South Sioux City, owing to the reputation enjoyed by the station known as Covington at Covington.

New Notaries Public. The governor to-day appointed the following Nebraskans notaries public:

J. T. McKnight, Brainard, Butler county; E. J. Mathis, Greenwood, Cass county; E. W. Woodruff, Sutton, Clay county; John W. Haney, Callaway, Custer county; S. B. upson, Broken Bow, Custer county; F. A. Stroup, Maywood, Frontier county Lavinia W. McNeer, Beatrice, Gage county John A. Kehee, Platte Center, Platte county; F. D. Travis, Holdrege, Phelps county; J. J. Johnson, Wahoo, Saunders county; B. F. Berkey, Hebron, Thayer county; Daniel R. Schenck, Red Cloud, Webster county.

Spellman Seeks Damages. Patrick Spellman, one of the victims of the Burlington riot, August 11th last, filed nis petition in the district court to-day, alleging \$10,500 damages against the Chicago. Burlington & Quincy railroad company! The petition tells the story of the shooting, familiar to readers of THE BEE, and sets up that the plaintiff was a member of the Union Pacific excursion party, on the minute of returning home when the assault was made by detectives, employes of the was made by detectives, employes of the party defendant, from which he received a bullot wound in one of his ankles, without cause or provocation, that has since kept him idle and probably crippled him for life. The petition is a clear cut legal paper and succinctly states causes for action. The shooting is designated as malicious and premeditated, bordering a riot, for which the defendant was responsible, and judgment is prayed for the amount stated and the costs of the suit. It will be remembered that Spell-man lay at the Capital hotel several seks before his removal to his home at Omaha was considered safe or advisable.

Supreme Court News. The following are the late cases filed for

trial in the supreme court: State of Nebraska ex rel R. C. Evans vs

W. T. Phillips et al; mandamus. The B. & M. railroad company vs Emily

White; error from Saunders county. Samuel L. Anderson vs Lombard Investment company et al; error from Cass county. The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad company vs Mary Hogan; error from Lan-

ster county. V. H. Kendall et al vs Eli Aleshire; error From Nuckolls county.
Samuel Gehr et al vs D. M. Osborn & Co.; appeal from Stanton county.

The Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad

company and the B. & M. railroad company vs Maggie Sullivan et al; error from Richrdson county.

City News and Notes. Hon. Paul Schminke, George Donaldson, Jake Benter, of the Staats Zeitung, and W.

A. Schupers, Nebraska City gentlemen, tar-ried last night in Lincoln. Colonel E. D. Webster, of Stratton, who has been in Lincoln most of the winter, went to Omaha to day for a round-up with pld friends.

The religious fire at Grace M. E. church, still burns. It is said that Minehart is backed by about forty members of the church and apposed by an equal number, while the rest of the church, a hundred or more, sit back and mourn because of the unhappy muddle. The pastor still lisists that the church is on the eve of a great revival. It is understood that disinterested Methodists will be called apon to settle the difficulty.

Governor Thayer was an Omaha visitor to

He returned home at 10:30 o'clock

Pears' soap secures a beautiful complexion.

Honest George an Artist.

Ex-Commissioner Timme came into town yesterday for the first time in some weeks. He was loaded down with the oil work on which he has been engaged for several months back. A part of his burden was a very pretty sketch representing an agod lady and for grand-daughter returning from church,

another an illustration of the beautiful pastoral legend of Genoveffa, and the third feature, a portrait of Commissioner O'Keeffe. All of these are very well executed and show that Mr. Timme makes no idle boast when he says be made a study of the art in his younger days. The beautifully detailed foli-age work of the first named piece, the artist says, is the result of four weeks work, dur-ing which he applied himself as many as six hours a day.

TRISH HOME RULE.

It is Thought the London Times Fiasco will Accelerate it.

The cablegram in Sunday's Ben which reviewed the failure of the London Times in its charges against Parnell attracted general attention. Speaking on the subject this morning, John Groves, deputy county treasurer, said :

"This case shows conclusively how Ireland is governed by the spy, informer and an army of 30,000 soldiers, with the best of our people in prison for daring to express an Why, there is scarcely an Irishman United States who has, in any way, proved his devotion to the national cause has not had spies after him and traps laid for him to commit humseif.

"Balfnor and the tory government have nothing for Ireland but the plank bed dun-geon or gallows. Their man Pigott has been caught in his own trap. He has always been known as "Dirty Dick," a plackmailer and scamp of the first water. The case of the Times and the government has collapsed, and the civilized world has already announced its verdict.

As for the English spy, Le Caron, he doesn't amount to anything. Most of his talk was ancient history, and known to every one who took pains to read the papers. He failed to prove anything that would cate Parnell or any of his associates in any overt acts. He will probably meet the fate of Carey, and that will be the last of him. "The blundering of the tory government has made home rule a certainty in a very

short time." Mike Lee, president of the council, said that he had read with much pleasure the cable accounts of Parnell's great victory.
"The Irish, "said he, "are all right. They
have succeeded in knocking the London Times out and I believe it will result in re turning Gladstone to power. Then we will have bome rule sure.

Commissioner O'Keeffe was asked for his opinion on the matter, but replied thus: "I tid not have time to read what was said about it, therefore hardly know what to say. Wait until I read up.'

Axes to Grind.

Storekeepers and druggists with private "axes to grind," although well aware of the superiority of SOZODONT to all preparations for the teeth, sometimes recommend other articles as "equally good" or "the same thing" or 'superior." Insist on having SOZO-

CIVIL AND CRIMINAL LAW. Brought Up in the Courts Yesterday

Morning. The district court mill commenced grinding yesterday morning in real earnest. Judge Wakely perpetrated a quiet joke. While going over the equity docket he read: City vs. Saunders. "I ask," interjected City Attorney Webster, "to have that continued until the 4th of March.' The bar chuckled. His honor smile as he replied, "According to newspaper reports I doubt whether he (meaning ex-Governor Sauaders), will be ready for trial after the 4th of March." Deputy Sheriff Grebe and his assistants

brought six prisoners into the room. The latter were arraigned before Judge Groff. Two of them were small colored boys. Colonel Mosby first stood up. He had no counsel and the judge asked J. C. Whorten to undertake his case. "I will, your honor," replied Mr. Whorton. "I have long been a friend of the colored man, and want to do for him all I con." Mosby is charged of stealing a dia-mond pin from James Timothy. Colonel Mosby is a very black Alabama negro. Charles Johnson heard read the information against him, alleging that on the 15th day of fanuary he assaulted and tried to murder one Irwiney De Hone, to which he very em phatically entered a plea of not guilty.

The next unfortunate was Nicholas Smithroth, who has been lying in jail a long time for felony. The offense committed consists The two boys spoken of are reform school candidates.

Robert Shultz is a small and young tramp. His parents, he said, live in Chicago. He vants to get a home, and expressed a desire Frank Hill, who pleaded guilty some time

ago to destroying property, was fined \$160 and sentenced to fifteen days in the county iail. The other boy is a very gay colore chap, who said that he had run away from home and school. Alvin Sarlin was put on trial. The charge

against him is larceny. The story is that he found \$55 in the mattress of a bed at the house where he boarded and stole it. The property belonged to Peter Peterson and Charles Peterson. who have taken the fellow in and given him bearing. A jury was empaneled and the taking of testimony commenced.

Judge Doane commenced the week on a case entitled William J. Wagner, Edward Phelan and Edward Cassady vs. Samuel W Dennis. It is a sult involving damages for the cutting of trees on certain lots of ground in a platted additition to South Omaha. They ask for \$100. It is alleged by them that through said tract or plat runs two or more streets, in which grew several trees and some brush.
agreement was entered into which gave endant authority to cut these trees down and take them away for his own use, they charge that he went onto and cut the timber all off of one of the lots. A jury was impannelled without much difficulty and the taking of evidence was commenced.

Judge Hopewell was hearing the arguments of attorneys in the McKenna-Storz damage suit. The case was given to the jury yes terday afternoon.

Ed Sweeney the young man who robbed

Otto Kissling, and got away with goods to

of the amount of several dollars worth, will be put on trial this morning.

Judge Wakeley took up the case of Thomas M. Greeley against the city, a suit wherein the plaintiff sues to recover \$1,548 damages to property by reason of changing the grade of Eleventh street between Mason and Center streets. The case was tried about a year ago and the plaintiff was awarded \$700 damages. The jury visited the premises where the damage is alleged to have been done

after the case was called. Testimony will be heard in the case this morning. The jury in the case of Catherine McKenna against Charles Stortz rendered a verdict for \$250 for the plaintiff. Mrs. McKenna sued the defendant for \$5,000 damages for selling

her husband whisky. Frank Hill, a young man, who while drunk last fall, smushed a plate glass front to the establishment of A. H. Stockman & Co., was arraigned before Judge Groff yesterday afternoon on the charge of malicious destruc-tion of property. He pleaded guilty. The damage done was \$50. The court told him that the statutes provided that any prisoner guilty of such an offense should serve a term in the county jail equal to twice the value of the damage done, at the rate of \$? per day. Before Hill will get the eighty days' sentence the court will investigate the case further. The arguments in the case of William J. Wagner against Samuel W. Dennis, a suit to recover \$160 damages and to enjoin the defendant from trespassing on certain property was concluded yesterday afternoon before

Judge Doane. The jury will receive its in-structions this morning, and then the case will go to it for deliberation. The case of Carl O. Erdling against Loui Bradford was decided yesterday by Judge Wakely in favor of the plaintiff. The suit involved the ownership of the Anderson block at the northwestern corner of Sixteenti and Davenport streets. The real estate was not included in the controversy.

United States Court. Mary E. Pancoast, of Philadelphia, commenced foreclosure proceeding yesterdry against James G. McNett and others, of Germantown, this state on a note of March 27, 1887, to Samuel Lombard, for \$2,330, secured by mortgage on certain described property.

Judge Dundy is reported as much better, but will not be able to call court this week.

County Court. William M. Bushman instituted suit in ejectment yesterday in the county court against Kate McCabe, whom the plaintiff claims forcibly holds a room in the Bushman block, at Sixteenth and Douglas streets. The

defendant is a dressmaker. The case of Burlinghoff against Genius was on trial yesterday in the county court before Shields. It is a cause in which the before Shields. plaintiff claims \$300 for services in drawing bailding plans.

MAY SELL OUT.

The Pacific Hotel Company's Offer to

the Union Pacific.

It now transpires that the Pacific Hotel

company has two propositions pending before

the Union Pacific. The latest proposition is

that the former company is turning over the

property to the Union Pacific. The other

proposition is as to the division of

Pacific concludes to run dining cars on their

regular trains from Omaha west. Thomas

Swobe, vice president of the hotel company

tioned, he said: "Our present contract with the Union Pacific has six years to run, but

we have certain matters pending now that are independent of this contract. We have

agreed to a modification so as to allow th

trains and in this, the transaction hinges upor the division of the earnings." "Is it a fac

that your company has offered to sell its plant

outright to the Union Pacific?" "Yes, that is true. We have made two propositions and

this is one, while the modification of the con-tract is the other. As yet, however, nothing definite has been arrived at." General Man-

nothing definite had been consummated, but

Resignation and Promotion.

timate friend of S. H. H. Clark, vice presi-

dent of the Missouri Pacific, that he will be

the next president of the Gould system. Jay

Gould is said to be desirous of dropping out

of active railway life, and, in view of this,

Clark being his favorite, the position will fall

to him. The statement that such a slate has

already been fixed up is said to have been made by Clark while he was in Omaha a few

days ago. The stockholders will meet at St

Louis March 12 prox. and it is stated that at this meeting a board of directors

will be elected, from which Clark will be

chosen president. As regards the resigna-tion of W. H. Newman, third vice president

of the Missouri Pacific, an intimate friend of Mr. Newman, stated, that while the latter

has not resigned he would tender his resigna-

tion in the shortly and could then retire from active life in railroading. The state-ment that Mr. Newman is to resign

is based upon personal communica-tious received in this city purporting to

have come direct from the pen of Mr. New-man himself. The reason for resigning is that he has tired or active life and that he

has concluded to step down and out of rail-

A Relief Fund.

The Burlington company is about 'to m

nugurate a relief department similar to that

maintained by the roads in Pennsylvania.

A meeting was held in General Superintend

ent Calvert's office at Lincoln at which

Messrs, Livingston, Hawksworth and Grue

fice in Boston is now on a tour among the employes and has been placed

in charge of the new enterprise. The asso

ciation is kept up by voluntary membership

and assessments made in accordance with the salaries of the members. The funds

thus derived are for the purpose of maintain

ing sick or disabled members or burial ex-

Sues the Union Pacific.

at Coleon, Neb., on the Union Pacific in

which four passenger coaches were wrecked

and burned. The accident was occasioned

by the passenger train coming in contact

with the end of a freight train that had not

sufficiently cleared the main track in switch-

ing. One peculiar feature of the accident was that E. Dickinson, then general superin-

tendent of the road was on the train, but was

in his private coach which was attached to the rear of the train, and aside from the

baggage car, was the only remnaut of the wreck. In the wreck, aside from the prop-

membered that Engineer Powell, who was

on the locomotive of the passenger train, was instantly killed. However, the company

at least it thought so, but to day notice was served on the officials to the effect that one

Simon Moss who claims to have been a pass

enger on the ill-fated train, had obtained service on the company through its agent in

California to recover \$750, the value of a

diamond pin which he claims to have lost in the wreck and other damages amounting in

all to \$2,500. The case will be called in court

Freight Rates.

Union Pacific has returned from Kansas,

where he attended a meeting of the state

railway commission at Leavenworth. The

meeting was called for the purpose of dis-

cussing rates on coal by the Kansas roads.

It was decided to allow the present rates to prevail until matters in this respect were ar-

ranged in conformity with the presidents' agreement. This afternoon Mr. Mellen left

for St. Louis where he will attend a meeting

of the general managers and general traffic managers. It is stated that the organization

of the system proper will be placed in the hands of the chairman of the inter-state rail-

way combination, and that nothing of impor-tance in this respect will be transacted until

Railroad Notes.

Vice President Holcombe, of the Union Pacific, has returned from the east.

the Kansas City, St. Joe & Council Bluffs, is

Auditor Calderhead, of the Montana Cen

tral, is in the city for the purpose of submit-ting his books for inspection of Comptroller

The lagging in the boiler of engine 1157 on

the Union Pacific, caught fire Saturday and was badly burned before the fire was checked

which resulted in sending the locomotive to

The Union Pacific will in a few days com

mence the construction of a side track which

will extend from its main spur tracks in the yards to the nail works, in order to enable

the nail manufacturers to load their goods at

John Sharp, superintendent of the Utah

Central and also a director of the Union Pa-

cific, arrived in Omaha yesterday from the west. He consulted with the Union Pa-

cific officials concerning matters pertaining

W. H. Baldwin, of the general freight de

partment of the Union Pacific, will leave for his new field of labor on the Leavenworth & Southwestern next Wednesday. He states

that he will make but few changes in the present force of employes of the company on

Francis Cope, general passenger agent of the Utah Central, was at the Union Pacific headquarters yesterday consulting with Assistant General Manager Dickin-

Assistant General Manager Dickinson concerning train connections between trains on the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific at Ogden. It is stated that the Southern Pacific has not as yet arranged its time so as to conform with the new time that went into effect yesterday on the east bound trains.

Stamped on By a Horse. Sunday afternoon P. C. Heafey, of Heafey & Heafey, was crossing the new

bridge, returning from Council Bluffs, driv-

bridge, returning from Council Bluns, driving and holding in his left hand a rope with
which a horse was being led, when the motor
train crept up silently from behind, frightening the horses. He was pulled out on the
roadway and the horse which was being led
stamped upon them. The train was stopped
and the conductor securing one of the horses
conclud Mr. Horsey to rise. He was hadly

enabled Mr. Heafey to rise. He was badly

Advise to Mothers.

Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup should al-ways be used for children teething. It soothes

the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhosa. 25 cents a bottle.

to the Utah Central locally.

A. C. Dawes, general passenger agent

General Traffic Manager Mellen of the

at Los Angeles, March 15.

a chairman is selected.

Mink, of the Union Pacific.

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Assistant General

adjusted the losses of all the passengers, or

the company, a large quantit of the private property of passengers was consumed by the flames. It will also be re-

One year ago yesterday a wreck occurred

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the projectors of the scheme, were pres-A Mr. Bartlett, formerly con-sted with President Picken's of-

It is stated on good authority and by an in-

ager Kimball, of the Union Pacific,

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that it was under consideration.

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JAKE KILRAIN IN TRAINING

How the Pugilist Looks, Talks and Deports Himself.

THE MANNERS OF A GENTLEMAN.

In Spite of His Profession He's a Very Decent Sort of Fellow-His Comments on Suilivan.

Preparing For the Fight. WASHINGTON, Feb. 25. - [Special to THE BEE |-Jake Kilrain has gone into active training. He has taken, to use his own expres sion, "his final round up." Not that Kilrain has been drinking to any extent. He has not There have been stories sent out by Sulli van's friends and backers that Kilrain has been drinking and in fact has been on an almost continual spree. Nothing is farther from the truth. Your correspondent was with him on his last night out. Kilrain has never been a total abstainer, nor has he, on the other hand, been a hard drinker. During all the time that he was in Baltimore as the instructor of the Krib club preparatory to his trip abroad, Kilrain's only stimulant was porter, of which he drank only one or two glasses a day.

Since his return from Europe, it is true Kilrain has occasionally looked upon cham-pagne when it fizzed, and if he has occasion-ally looked upon a glass too much, it has

been at very, very rare intervals. His drink now is ale. He has not touched a drop of wine or whisky for a month. Kilrain looks remarkably well. He is a handsome, gentlemanly looking fellow, and dresses in what is remarkably good taste for one of the sporting fraternity. He wears no diamonds save a small stone set down into a ring, which he wears on the little finger of his left hand. As a rule, he affects a black sack suit of clothes, with a white four-inhand scarf, and he invariably wears a Derby hat. For a short while after his return from Europe, he affected uppers on his gaiters. He has discarded these as being There have been constant stories about

Jake Kilrain's anglicism. I knew Jake years ago, when he was only a trainer of the Aerial boat club in Baltimore. I knew him later when he began giving instructions in sparring in a small way, and I have known him since his return from England. He is the same plain, continually unaffected lake Kilrain now gentlemanly, unaffected Jake Kilrain that he was ten years ago. He has not be-come an anglo-maniae. He is as thoroughly an American as he ever was. The story that he invariably talks of shillings and pence claiming to have forgotten how to count the "blarsted American money," is "an absurd That he should have caught an occas ional English expression is only natural, when one considers that during the time he was abroad he was constantly in communica-tion with Englishmen. Since his return he has had Charles Mitcheli at his elbow always; but it is unfair to say that he apes English manners or customs. His accent is, perhaps, a trifle English, occasionally, and he has been known to say "strike me lucky" or even to add "you know" to an occasional sentence. But even that has disappeared now since he has been back in America, and ninety-nine men out of one hundred will spend the whole evening in his company see ing him and hearing him, and never once guess that he was outside of Boston or Balti

Kilrain dreads notoriety. He has rented himself a little house on Division street, Bal timore, where his life is so retired that not one Baltimorean in a-thousand knows where the house really is. Here he lives with his wife and little child, and a kinder and more Here he lives with his devoted husband never lived. When I asked him how he felt when he

stood in the ring opposite Jem Smith, he "My only thought was what will become of

my wife if I get licked."

I naturally spoke to him, not having seer him since his return, about his coming fight with Sullivan. He takes a very plain, ter-of-fact, common sense view of the affair

"As a matter of business, we have got to fight, and while I confess that I am not anx ious to meet Sullivan, this fight must come off, and I propose that it shall. This country wants to know which of us two is the better man, and I am going to do all I can to show it. I am tired of being treated in this country as I am. Wherever I go there is a determined gang of some people, whoever they may be, who try to insult me in every possible way, and wherever I have appeared I have been greeted with cries of 'Sullivan! Sullivan! and hisses, and I am determined that this thing must stop. If I can lick him I am going to do it; if he can whip me he is going to do it. One way or another this matter must be decided. There cannot be two champions going through the country, and one of us must step down.'

Of his fight with Smith he takes the same Of his fight with Smith he takes the same cool, matter-of-fact view. He fights simply because claiming to be champion he must hold himself ready to meet all comers who dispute his claim. There is no indispute his claim. There is no material by the brutality about the man. He does not fight because he enjoys the slugging, or the drawing of blood or the maining of his opponent. Circumstances have placed him in a position, and it is to keep himself in this position that he may breat Smith and Spalligen. vil! meet Smith and Sullivan

Kilrain's popularity in Baltimore is undoubted. Wherever he has gone he has been immediately surrounded by a group of admirers, and the young bloods of Baltimore consider it an honor to be permitted to share box with him at the theatre or to offer him bottle. He has looked upon all this sort of thing with good-humored content, and has steadfastly refused all invitations and at tempts at approaches from strangers. His old friends he has been glad to see, and he has cared to make but few new ones. It is believed here that he can whip Sullivan. It is known positively that he is anxious to

Kilrain's training from now until the 15th of April will be merely preliminary. He will confine himself to long walks and an almost total abstinence from liquor. His purpose is simply to reduce his superfluous flesh. On the 15th of April the limit expires for a final leposit of the twenty-thousand dollar stakes between himself and Sullivan. If by that time Sullivan has sufficiently improved in health to satisfy his backers that he has a chance to win, there will be no trouble in agreeing on a final stakeholder, but if his conduct in the meantime is such as to make them believe he does not mean to carry out his good intentions, then they will prevent appointment of a final stakeholder, and the \$10,000 already up will be returned to the parties from whom it came. Kilrain has commented on the fact that Sullivan's recent dissipation does not seem to indicate that he very seriously intends to meet him. Kilrain argues that if Sullivan really meant fight he would do everything in his power to get himself into trim, and he certainly does not seem to be doing that just now. It is only just to Sullivan, however, to say that there is nothing much in this line of argument. He has just the same reasons for being anxious to meet Kilrain that Kilrain himself has given for his anxiety, and the best thing these two gentlemen can do for the sake of their own

pockets is to meet and fight the thing out.

As to the details of the prospective meeting between Kilrain, and Smith nothing has been heard here of fate. The last cable on the subject said that a "go" would be arranged for November next for \$1,000 aside, but it is prestry effects that Kilrain will not but it is pretty certain that Kilrain will not fight for such small stakes when he can do better on this side, if his match with Sullibetter on this side, if his match with Sullivan should fall through he will go west and meet some of the cracks of that section, for fight he must, and he knows it. He will not object to meeting Peter Jackson, the colored man, as did Sullivan, provided the prize is for \$10,000 or better, and it is understood that President Fuldas, of the Athletic club, is willing to raise that amount to bring the men together. Kilrain received a letter yesterday from Joseph Schlesinger, the secretary of the Southern Athletic club, of New Orleans, inviting him to spend part of his Orleans, inviting him to spend part of his time in New Orleans, and offering him the courtesy of the club's building and apparatus during his training.

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Drug Co., at 25 cents per box—by mail 30
cents.

DIED ON THE RIVER BANK. A Stranger's Mangled Remains Under

the Union Pacific Bridge. Between 6 and 7 o'clock yesterday morning John Dwyer, night foreman of the B. & M. yards found the dead and mangled body of a strangelman lying under the Omaha end of the Union Pacific bridge. The victim had evi dently fallen or been thrown off the structure some time during the night. Whether his sad ending was due to an accident or to violence, as yet remains a mystery. Coroner Drexel was notified and had the body removed to his undertaking establishment. mid-day the identity of the man had not been ascertained. He was evi-dently a laborer, had on a good suit of dark clothes, wore a red moustache, is rather good appearing and apparently about thirty-five years old. On a pass book found in his socket, is the name of George Barney and on a stencil the name George Baut. Whether either of these belonged to the victim is no known. The supposition is that he must have been struck by a train and knocked off the bridge. His head is badly cut and body

severely bruised.

At 6 5 clock last night Coroner Drexel empannelled a jury and held an inquest over the remains of George Blanyock, for such proved to be the victim's name. The result of the verdict was that the man came to his death by a fall from the Union Pacific bridge; that from the evidence addiced the jury found his death to be accidental.

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The Baltimore Convention. The national republican league convention will be held in Baltimore Thursday. The league in this state and each republican club of the state is entitled to send four delegates, besides the president of each organization, to the convention. It was thought that the many different clubs in the state would make a strong representation in the convention, but as far as Omana is concerned, only a few delegates will go to Baltimore. A meeting of the executive committee was to have been held Saturday night for the purpose of appointing delegates to attend the convention, but there was not a quorum. The state branch of the republican league has made arrangements for a number of delegates, and the state will be represented by these. R. W. Breckenridge, of the executive commit-

Neither One Perfect.

to send delegates.

tee, is now at Lincoln making preparations

Some time ago David W. Hill commenced ection in the district court for divorce from his wife. Tillie, claiming that she had been criminally forgetful of her martial vows, at the "road houses." The wife responded yesterday in a cross-bill, denying this allegation of infidelity. She doesn't want her husband to get a divorce. She wants to secure it herself. In order to do so, she accuses her liege lord of being quite a sport, associating with gamblers and prostitutes. She also claims that for some time he has been keeping a mistress named Maggie Rowley, and is living with her in a house on Nine-teenth street, between Burt and Web-ster streets. Mrs. Hill also affirms that her husband is a man of low and vulgar habits and is not a fit custodian to care for their young child, whose name is The mother asks the custody of the baby.

Love's Labor Lost. Rabbi Benson will go to Lincoln to-day for

the purpose of trying to secure quarters in the asylum for the insane for Rosa Caspers. who is violently insane, and who has been in the county jail for a number of days. The rabbi secured the necessary documents yesterday from the county commissioners and the insane board. The reason that the is compelled to go to the state capitol is that the asylum is so overcrowded that it is diffinstitution.

Shortly after the rabbi left the county building with his documents a postman dropped a letter to Frank Moores, clerk of the district court. It was from Dr. Knapp, of the asylum, instructing the clerk to send the insane woman to Lincoln this morning. She will go on the same train as will the rabbi.

Took Morphine and Died. Coroner Drexel was notified at 2 o'clock vesterdayafternoon of a suicide at Mrs. Mor on's house on Davenport between Ninth and Tenth streets. The victim was Hattie Mendell and outcast who, it seems, had no home. Anyway she was taken from the shanty owned by Mr. Newsom, down on the bot-toms, yesterday by Peter Williams, a col-ored man, who took her to Mrs. Morton's at her request. Soon after, she swallowed a large dose of morphine and ended her earthly troubles. An inquest was held at the nouse yesterday and the jury returned a verdict that deceased came to her death through an overdose of morphine administered by her own hand. The dead woman has a daughter

in St. Joseph's hospital. Religious Notes. Bishop Newman and wife will arrive here about March 12. On the 10th prox. he dedicates a church in Chicago after which he starts west.

Gospel meetings are being held in the First

M. E. church, on Davenport street, every Eleven conversions last night are reported. Evangelist Miller will conduct revival ser-Trinity Methodist Kountze Place church to-night. To-morrow evening and Wednesday and Thursday, he will speak in the Tenth street

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Waited for the Wrong Man. Contractor O'Ruare, going home Saturday night, was met at the corner of Sixteenth and Cass streets by a man who was waiting for some other party, against whom he had a grudge. The waiter rushed upon Mr. O'Ruarc, and in the collision the latter was forced almost to the middle of the street, the assailant following. By this time Mr. O'Ruarc was prepared for and received his assailant with several blows. The rowdy discovering that he had mistaken discovering that he had mistaken his man, and apologizing for the intrusion, both shook hands and went their way.

Must Show Cause. Justice Wade was served with papers yester day commanding that he shall appear in the district court next Saturday and show cause why a writ of mandamus asked for by William E. Eridge shall not be issued against him. The proceeding arises over Justice Made's refusal to grant complainant an appeal bond in the attachment case of John G. Fessner against John Festienneyer, in which personal property was taken which Eridge claims belongs to him.

An Unusual Case. Two weeks ago a woman named Cook in passing through Omaha on her way west found she had not provided herself with sufficient money to quite pay her fare. ple at the depot kindly made up the differ ence and yesterday her husband who has plenty of money, stepped off, husted up the benefactors and squared accounts.

Wors of the Brothel. A female named Boyd was a boarder at a house of ill-fame, and was furnished with a wardrobe by the landlady. She changed her boarding house without permission, and took her clothes with her, whereupon the land-

lady swore out a writ of replevin. The mer its of the case were decided in Justice Kroeger's court yesterday afternoon, and it was decided that while the girl was entitled to the dress, she was indebted to the plaintiff for \$15 worth of other fixings. The dress was accordingly handed over to her, but was immediately replevined, and is still in the

custody of the court. Episcopal Convention.

The clergymen of the Episcopal church in Nebraska will assemble at All Saints church, on the corner of Howard and Twenty-sixth streets, this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The sessions of the convocation will be extended through Wednesday and Thursday, and are expected to be unusually interesting. Bishop Worthington has arranged the programme, and he hopes that many persons, especially Episcopalians, may be present at these meetings. A cordial invitation is extended to all, of whatever creed or church. The fellow ng is the programme as arranged by the

Tuesday Evening, 7:30-Addresses limited to ten minutes each. 1. The responsibility of every ordained person for missionary work beyond his cure: The Rev. A. A. Morrison, of Schuyler. 2. The obligation of the diocese to the general missionary work of the church: The Very Rev. Dean Hewitt, of Fremont. 3. The results hitherto accom-plished in the field of the world an assur-ance of the final triumph of the kingdom of our Lord: The Rev. R. F. H. Gardiner, of York.

Wednesday, 10 a. m.-The necessity and the best methods of the devotional study of the best methods of the devotional study of the holy scriptures in maintaining the spirit-ual life of the clergy. Writer, the Rev. Francis Moore, of Neligh; speaker, the Rev. M. F. Cary, of Nebraska City. What can be done in our parishes to cause a better observance of the church's feasts and fasts. Writer, the Rev. J. Oliver Booth, of Broken Bow; speaker, the Rev. R. C. Talbot, of Brown-

Wednesday, 2 p. m .- Women helpers in the church. How can their work be made most effective! Writer, the Rev. A. G. E. Jenner, of North Platte. Speaker, the Rev. J. Nel-son Jones, of Grand Island. The free-church system in theory and in practical results. Writer, the Rev. J. W. Gilman, of Hastings speaker, the Rev. Robert Scott, of Beatrice. Wednesday evening, 7:30—Written and unwritten rubrics to be observed in the conduct of divine service, (a) The Rubric of Reverence. (b) The Rubric of Common Sense, (c) The Rubric of Consistency. Writer, the Rev. W. T. Whitmarsh, of No York; speaker, the Rev. G. W. Flowers, of Cedar Rapids. How can the order of lay readers be more effective in doing church's work! Writer, the Rev. Williams, of Omaha; speaker, the Rev. W Thursday-Quiet day for the clergy, conducted by the bishop of Iowa.

Cannot Dwell in Unity. John Krenzer and John Burns are at loggerheads over the sale and purchase of a saloon. Krenzer claimed to have purchased the accounts along with the business, and yesterday repleyined them. Brown in a cross suit repleyined the keys of a safe in Krenzer's ... asessien, and now the case will be heard in the court of Justice Kroeger.

One Colored Representative Justice of the Peace M. F. Singleton, the only colored justice in the city, will leave Thursday for Washington City, in which place he will attend the session of the colmen's convention which convenes March 6.

HOLCOMB AND ADAMS.

Rumors That the Vice President's

Policy Will Result in Resignation. Concerning the report sent out from Chicago yesterday to the effect that W. H. Holcomb was soon to be requested to resign from the vice presidency of the Union Pacific, nothing definite could be learned in this city. Mr. Holcomb had not heard of any intention of this kind being manifest on the part of the board of directors, and Thomas L. Kimball, the general manager of the Union Pacific, when questioned, was of the opinion that the report was groundless, However, an individual who claims to be on the inside of affairs in this direction states that Mr. Holcomb has not attained any addi-tional popularity since he pre-empted the tional popularity since he pre-empted the vice president's chair, and it is stated that aside from this, the decapitating polley of Mr. Holcomb has resulted in his coming in contact with several official snags that have not only withstood the enslaught made by im, but have reacted, and in view of this, him, but have reacted, and in view of this, the vice president has incurred the cumity, to a certain extent, of President Adams. However, it is stated that nothing in this light is likely to result until the meeting of light is likely to result until the meeting of the stockholders for the purpose of electing a new board of directors, which will be held in Boston, April 24. Another theory ad-vanced is that Holcomb's policy, as regards the removal of time tried officials, has not met the approval of Adams.

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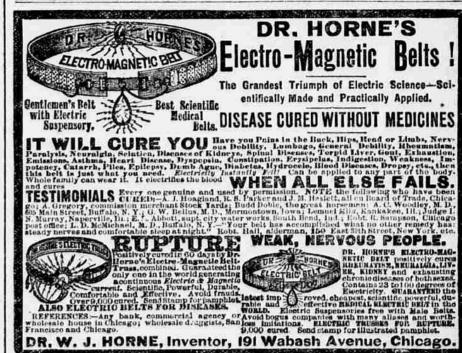
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